

Knockouts Galore Mark Amateur Boxing Bouts in Madison Square Garden for New York State Championships

CROWD JEERS WHEN COP GETS DECISION

Adams of Police Club Declared Victor Over Murphy in Amateur Bouts.

LATTER EARNED HONORS

Knockouts Galore in Other Scraps for New York State Titles.

By CHARLES F. MATHISON.

Knockouts at frequent intervals, acrobatic boxing by all concerned, mixed with wild decisions by the judges, served to add spice to the second night's contests between the amateurs of New York State at Madison Square Garden last night.

There was a bumper house, and the greatest enthusiasm during the lively encounters.

One final bout was boxed. It was in the 135 pound class and resulted in Frank Adams of the Police Club winning the State title of the class. His opponent was redheaded George J. Murphy of the Bartholomew Club, and the latter carried the battle to the copper from start to finish. It was a poor bout, owing largely to Adams clinching, but Murphy did what fighting was observable and earned the decision.

When Judges Johnny O'Brien and Jake Stumpf agreed on Adams as the winner the crowd hooted steadily for ten minutes.

135 Pound Class.

First Bout—Won by Murray Schwartz, Clark House A. A., over James E. Day, O'Connell No. 1. A knockdown ended the first round and Day refused to come out in the second, claiming he hurt his hand. Schwartz outclassed Day.

Second Bout—Won by George E. Marshall O'Connell No. 2, over Louis Guglielmini, unattached. The winner knocked Marshall down early in the first round and had started another swing before Marshall hit the canvas. The blow landed on the fallen man, while Marshall was down, and Guglielmini was disqualified. Bout lasted forty-five seconds.

Third Bout—Won by William Singer, Metropolitan champion, over Randall Scott, unattached, in the first round by a knock out after boxing one minute and twenty seconds.

Fourth Bout—Won by Bird Farrin, Paulist A. C., over William O'Day, Buffalo, N. Y. Farrin scored a knockdown in the first round, but O'Day came out for the second, took a hard beating and was knocked down again after one minute and eight seconds of boxing. The referee then stopped the bout and declared Farrin the winner.

Fifth Bout—Won by Frank Sinclair, Paulist A. C., over Steve Hickey of the Red Rose Social Club by a knockout after thirty-two seconds of boxing in the first round. Hickey never landed a blow and was twice felled before the referee interfered.

Sixth Bout—Won by Joseph R. Wright of O'Connell Association, over R. Chaparro, Pastime A. C. Wright outpointed Chaparro for the better part of the first round, but the Italian brought the round to a close by putting Wright on the canvas with a right to the jaw. The referee prescribed another round, which was very spirited, with honors easy. At the end of this round the judges disagreed and the referee ordered an additional round. Wright had the better of this session and got the verdict of the judges.

Seventh Bout—Won by William J. Joyce, Bronxdale A. C., over Frank P. Moran, K. of C. Social Service. Judges' decision, three rounds.

108 Pound Class.

First Bout—Won by James J. Fanning, Hudson Guild, over Angelo Lovullo, Buffalo, N. Y. Lovullo was a punching bag for Fanning in the first round, when suddenly the Buffalo boy shot a right to the jaw and brought Fanning down. As a knockdown always ends a round the men went to their corners and the referee ordered an extra round. This round was even, but the judges decided that Fanning was the winner. A verdict that was almost unanimously hooted.

Second Bout—Won by E. E. Everding of Long Island City, Centre, over W. McMillan, unattached. Everding outclassed McMillan, put him down twice in the first round and the referee stopped the bout after fifteen seconds of boxing.

125 Pound Class.

First Bout—Won by Harold N. Evans of Holy Cross Lyceum over Lee Wedo of Greenwich House. Evans scored a knockdown early in the first round and Wedo was carried to his corner in shaking condition. The referee ordered another round and Evans scored his second knockdown in 1 minute and 35 seconds, after which the referee, Eddie Forbes, declared Evans the winner.

Second Bout—Won by Jack Stark, Metropolitan champion, over Ben Embinder, Ninety-second Street Y. M. H. A. Stark scored knockdowns in the first and second rounds, but Embinder stuck it out for 41 seconds of the third round, when he was in a helpless condition and his seconds tossed in a towel.

Third Bout—Won by John Gavigan of O'Connell Association No. 2, over Alvan Bott, Gloucester A. C., after 30 seconds of boxing in the second round. Referee Eddie Forbes stopped the bout, Bott being outclassed.

135 Pound Class, Second Trials.

First Bout—Won by Archie Walker, State champion, over Benjamin Pontoux, Metropolitan champion, in three rounds. Judges disagreed and referee gave the decision to Walker. The verdict was assented by the spectators.

Second Bout—Won by James P. Coll, Kennedy's Boys' Club, over Edward McGuire, Buffalo, N. Y. Judges' decision, three rounds.

Third Bout—Won by Michael Flare, unattached, over John Flare, unattached, American Club. Judges' decision, three rounds.

Fourth Bout—Won by Nick Penati,

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PRINCETON CLUB IS BEATEN AT SQUASH

Drops Five Out of Seven Matches to Harvard Class B Team.

Princeton Club dropped back to sixth place in the Class B Metropolitan squash tennis championship yesterday as the result of a defeat at the hands of the Harvard Club squad on the latter's courts. The Tiger graduates were outplayed in five of the seven matches contested, losing four of them in straight games.

Harold Rowe and George A. Walker, Jr., were the only ones to score for Princeton Club. The former led by a comfortable margin in his match with W. S. Robinson, but Walker was carried into extra games by E. P. Pierce, who kept the result in doubt all the way. The summary:

F. S. Ritchie, Harvard, defeated Basil Harris, Princeton, 15-6, 15-7; Harold Rowe, Princeton, defeated W. S. Robinson, Harvard, 15-10, 15-8; E. H. Homelway, Harvard, defeated R. Monks, Princeton, 15-4, 15-11; H. Fourt, Harvard, defeated Leonard Beckman, Princeton, 15-13, 15-11; George A. Walker, Jr., Princeton, defeated E. P. Pierce, Harvard, 17-18, 15-4, 15-9; G. O'Neill, Harvard, defeated A. M. Kidder, Princeton, 15-5, 15-8; C. Fuller, Harvard, defeated R. Piel, Princeton, 9-15, 15-9, 15-10.

CRESCENTS WIN ANOTHER.

The Crescent Athletic Club basketball team last night gained its tenth consecutive victory by defeating the St. Bonaventure quintet on the Brooklynites' court by 67 to 24. The New Mooners outclassed the Westchester boys in all departments of the game. The lineup:

Crescent (67): St. Bonaventure (24). Nichols, left forward; Holm, Stanard, right forward; Prendergast, McGinnis, Centre; Edwards, Griffin, left guard; Gavigan, Stewart, right guard; Lynch, Field Goals—Nichols, 3; Stanard, 4; Griffin, 10; Stewart, 4; Farnham, 7; Sims, 4; Holm, 2; Prendergast, Edwards, Gavigan, 1 each from foul—Nichols, 3; O'Brien, 2. Substitutes—Farnham, Simms, O'Brien. Referee—Tom Thorp. Time of halves—20 minutes.

HILL STOPS WOOD.

George Wood proved a poor substitute for Harvey Crosby, who was scheduled to meet Barrie Hill in the feature bout of the Starlight Sporting Club show last night, and Referee Brennan stopped the match after the first round, Hill far outclassing his opponent. The semi-final bout was the most interesting on the evening's card, George Leahy winning over Johnny Hart in a fast ten round go. In another bout Harry Young lost to Pete Moore in six rounds. Young Stevens knocked out Johnny Adams in the second round of their scheduled six round bout and Pinky McGuilgan won over Spider Higgins in two rounds.

HIGH LIGHTS AND SHADOWS IN ALL SPHERES OF SPORT

By DANIEL.

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LAST month the New York club of the National League offered \$150,000 and a catcher for Heinie Groh of the Reds. Not so many days ago it offered \$200,000 and four players for Rogers Hornsby, the batting leader of the circuit. Immediately doubt was expressed as regards the financial wisdom of going so high for ball players. The stands can hold just so many and no more, and \$200,000 is a lot of money, it was argued. In the thick of this debate those who think that \$200,000 is too big a sum to offer for any star lose sight of the financial condition in which the New York club finds itself and the relation of this condition to the excess profits tax.

It is common report that the Giants last season passed the \$1,000,000 mark in profits and that the Yankees went far beyond the Giants' mark. We do not know at how much the New York National League club is capitalized, but it seems quite safe to say that at least \$1,000,000 it would have to turn in at least \$200,000 to the Federal Government as excess profits. Under such conditions it becomes apparent that had the Giants landed Hornsby they would have got him as a present.

The Giants can afford to offer \$250,000 and players for the infielder on the strength of the probable profits for next season. If the Giants get Hornsby or Maranville they will become the strongest pennant contenders in the league. And with the Giants out there in front, setting the pace for the rest of the field, the Polo Grounds turstiles would click the merriest financial tune in the history of baseball in these United States. There is no doubt that if there were any stars in the American League who could be purchased the owners of the Yankees would go out and get them. But nobody is for sale.

The investment in improvements of money which otherwise would have to be disbursed in the form of excess profits taxes has been accepted in business circles as strictly ethical and sound.

Janeway Was a Self-Made Football Star.

"House" Janeway, the old Princeton football star who "went west" last week, was one of the greatest guards who ever wore a uniform at Nassau. Janeway was a self-made football player. He came to Princeton from Media, Pa., a flabby 200 pounder of prodigious strength, but little speed and aggressiveness. For two years he tried in vain to make a place on the eleven and finally became discouraged. He came to Luther Price, acting captain in 1887, and told him that he had determined to quit the squad.

Price prevailed upon him to change his decision. "Reduce about twenty pounds, handle a football every chance you get, develop speed and you will be a regular next season," Price told him. And Janeway stuck. In 1888 he came back scaling at about 180 pounds—a different man. And in 1889 he was one of the greatest guards in the country—an All-American man if it had not been for such stalwarts as Heffelfinger of Yale and Cranston of Harvard. At that, it is not certain that Janeway was not a better guard than Cranston, who earned a place with Heffelfinger on Walter Camp's first All-America.

Sande Was the Champion Jockey of 1920.

There is one championship for 1920 which cannot be settled by figures, and that is the leadership among the American jockeys. The records show that Jimmy Butwell won 146 races, finished second on 124 horses and third on 134. In all Butwell had 639 mounts. If we were to go by figures, alone Butwell would be first and the rest nowhere. But it is a matter of fact that Butwell did not ride a single horse on the Metropolitan circuit. If we make not, he was not even at Saratoga either. Butwell is a great jockey. He was responsible for a good deal of Roamer's success when the mile record smasher was at his best.

The jockey championship for the year will have to be awarded on a basis of personal opinion, and on that basis it goes to Earl Sande. He won 102 races—not as many as Rodriguez, with 112; Collett, who won 110, or Lyke, who rode 105 winners. But in all around ability Sande was the master. The biggest disappointment of the year was Laverne Fator, for whose contract Sam Hildreth paid \$15,000.

Local Boxing Bouts for Current Week

TO-NIGHT.

Madison Square Garden—New York State amateur championship bouts.

FRIDAY NIGHT.

Madison Square Garden—Pinky Mitchell vs. Billy Jackson, fifteen rounds; Sammy Siegel vs. Johnny Murray, ten rounds; Pete Hartley vs. Ned Fitzgerald, ten rounds.

SATURDAY NIGHT.

Commonwealth Sporting Club—Freddie Jacks vs. Bobby Michaels, ten rounds; Eddie Hackett vs. Billy Baker, ten rounds.

Flower Sporting Club—Frankie Edwards vs. Johnny Curtin, fifteen rounds; Harry Waters vs. Bobby Lyons, ten rounds.

Woodhaven S. C.—Phil Bloom vs. K. O. Joe Kelly, twelve rounds.

Paulist A. C., over James R. Brown, Salem Crescent A. C. Brown was helped after two minutes and ten seconds of the third round and the referee stopped the bout.

145 Pound Class.

First Bout—Won by Louis Aldrin, Norwegian Turn Society, over Frank Reiner, Bronxdale A. C. Three rounds. Judges' decision.

Second Bout—Won by Samuel Crystal, Clark House A. A., over Bernardo Velez of St. Christopher. Velez's seconds tossed him the towel after two minutes and thirty-five seconds fighting in the third round.

Third Bout—Won by Milton Weiss, Metropolitan champion, over Eugene Slattery, O'Connell Association. Slattery helpless from a right hand punch on the jaw in the third round. Towel tossed in by his seconds. Time in last round, 2m. 35s.

175 Pound Class.

Final bout—Won by Frank Adams, Police Club, over George J. Murphy, St. Bartholomew's Club, three rounds. Judges' decision. As Murphy won all the way from the first round to the last the decision of the judges was hooted for ten minutes after the bout ended.

158 Pound Class.

First Bout—Won by I. Seigman, Pastime A. C., over Crisogono De La Garza of Grupp's Gymnasium. Referee Forbes stopped the contest at the end of the second round, declaring that Crisogono De La Garza was outclassed.

Second Bout—Won by Wallace Kovert, Pastime A. C., over Samuel Schlang, unattached. Three rounds, Judges' decision.

HALEY SAVES LYNCH IN MAIN PIONEER BOUT

Referee Stops Contest in the Seventh Round.

Frank Carbone of the West Side last night knocked out Dan Lynch of Bayonne, N. J., in the seventh round of their scheduled fifteen round contest in the Pioneer Sporting Club. The local lad was the aggressor throughout and hammered his opponent from post to pillar. As early as the fourth round the Jerseyite was forced to take a count. After the contest had gone fifty-five seconds in the seventh round Referee Frank Patsy Haley stepped between the contestants to save Lynch from further punishment. Lynch weighed 159 pounds and Carbone was a half pound heavier.

Fatsy Bogash, a brother of Louis, gave Sailor Jack Denly of the East Side a lacing until the referee stopped the contest in the eighth round. The bout was to have been for ten rounds.

The six round contest also ended abruptly when Flori Barnett, the referee, awarded the decision to Pete McCoy over Buck Walters in the third round. Walters received a nasty cut over the right eye and was unable to continue.

200 Pound Class, Second Trials.

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Second Bout—Won by James P. Coll, Kennedy's Boys' Club, over Edward McGuire, Buffalo, N. Y. Judges' decision, three rounds.

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HIGH COST OF RING SEATS IS REDUCED

Boxing Commission Adopts Drastic Rule as to Admission Fees.

The Boxing Commission yesterday threw a bombshell into the camp of the boxing promoters by announcing that in future a limit of \$10 will be placed on tickets to bouts, except in the case of charitable or championship affairs, in which the limit will be \$15.

The formal announcement by the commission follows:

"The New York State Boxing Commission and the license committee have under preparation their first annual report to the Legislature in accordance with the Walker law, which will be forwarded in the course of a few days.

"We think there should be no delay, however, in the announcement that by resolution the State Boxing Commission has decided to prescribe and limit the charge for admission to boxing contests in this State. Except in the case of boxing contests given for charitable purposes and those in which championships are at stake, the price of admission must not exceed \$10. An admission fee not exceeding \$15 will be permissible for an exhibition involving a championship decision.

"This subject has been given serious and careful consideration and our decision is based upon the belief that it is for the best interest of the sport. The high prices of admission have been caused, in a large measure, by the exorbitant demands of certain boxers who have apparently cared little about the public upon whom they must depend for their awards. The time has come when this selfish and shortsighted attitude must be corrected by the commission, which, fortunately, has full power under the law to do so.

"This action is taken in face of the fact that frequently the public appears to be willing to pay twice this charge to see men of high calibre, but it is a hardship upon the man of moderate means who the commission believes is just as much entitled to see champions in action as his wealthier neighbor. Further, we believe we are giving full protection to the public by specifying the places at which tickets may be bought at box office prices plus a service charge of 50 cents. The public knows where these tickets are, knows it does not have to pay more than the announced fee, and cannot justify making any charge of exorbitancy provided it follows the commission's instructions. The commission is powerless, however, to control the sale of every ticket, and some will fall into the hands of speculators when it appears the supply is unequal to the demand. This evil, which prevails even to a greater degree among the theatres, can be corrected only by the legal suppression of the speculators themselves.

"The clubs and managers are accordingly notified to arrange no contests in the future for which admission charges will be made in excess of the limit set by the commission."

WOMEN'S GOLF ASSOCIATION.

The executive committee of the Women's Metropolitan Golf Association has selected the following members to represent their respective districts of the nominating committee for 1921. Long Island district, Mrs. Philip Boyer, Manhasset, L. I., and Mrs. John Churlo, 10 Avenue R, Brooklyn, N. Y. New Jersey district, Mrs. E. S. Nielsen, Prospect avenue, Hackensack, N. J., and Mrs. Walter MacGowan, 229 Orange road, Montclair, N. J. Westchester district, Mrs. W. Hunsate, 417 Riverside Drive, New York. The members of this committee will meet January 7 to select the officers of the association for the coming season.

Harvard Invites Syracuse to Row

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Jan. 4.—An invitation was sent by the Harvard rowing management to-day to Syracuse University for a race on the Charles River here next spring. No date was mentioned. Should the invitation be accepted it would be the first time Harvard and Syracuse crews had met.

The race with Yale this year will be on June 24. Dates for the races with Cornell, Princeton and the Navy have not yet been set.

It was said to-night that the Annals authorities wanted to meet Harvard in April, but that the Crimson management was unwilling to consider a date so soon after the crew was able to get out on the river and was trying to obtain an agreement to meet the Navy in May.

GREENLEAF WINS OVER SHOEMAKER

Professional Pocket Billiard Titleholder Defeats Amateur.

Ralph Greenleaf, titleholder in the ranks of the professional pocket billiard championship players, triumphed over J. Howard Shoemaker, national amateur champion, in the second and final bout of their 300 point match. In the New York Athletic Club last night, Greenleaf rolled up 150 points while Shoemaker scored 125. The final count for the two evenings' play was 300 to 275.

Frank Quinn triumphed over William Lemmert in Lawlor Bros' Academy in Brooklyn last night in the second evening's play for the New York State professional pocket billiard championship. The score was 125 to 95.

The Class C 182 amateur balking championship tournament, which was to have been completed last night in the National Recreation of Brooklyn, resulted in another tie when Sidney Brusel defeated F. A. Unger, 150 to 117. The playoff for the title will take place to-morrow night in the same room.

RICKARD LOSES IN BILLY RÓCAP SUIT

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 4.—George L. (Tex) Rickard, fight promoter, was ordered to-day to pay \$500 to William H. Rócap, a boxing referee and sports writer, by the jury in Rócap's slander suit against Rickard. Rócap charged that his reputation had been damaged by remarks made by Rickard the day following the Willard-Dempsey fight in Toledo, Ohio, July 4, 1919.

He alleged that Rickard, offended at an article by Rócap criticizing the match, declared to newspaper men that Rócap was a blackmailer and had "tried to hold him up for \$1,000."

WEINERT WINS EARLY.

Charley Weinert, the pride of Jersey, made quick work of Dick O'Brien in their scheduled twelve round bout in the Coliseum in Newark last night. Charley stopped the Connecticut boy in the second session. In the first round, he floored O'Brien twice, the bell saving Dick from being knocked out in the opener. O'Brien came out with a rush in the second round, but after a minute of fighting Weinert delivered the knockout.

RILEY FRUSH WINS ALL AMERICAN TITLE

SPECIAL DESPATCH TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 4.—Riley Frush, setter dog owned and handled by Dr. B. K. Phillips of Cincinnati, was declared the All American champion here to-day by winning the amateur championship stake of the All American Field Trial Club in a field of fifteen starters. The race began yesterday, when the preliminary trials were run. In his first tryout Riley Frush made three clean bevy finds and ran a race that stood far ahead of the field. The next dog to him was the pointer, Sergy W., owned by Dr. H. S. Brown of Philadelphia and handled by C. E. Duffield of Tulsa, Okla., who is also an amateur.

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